

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: COUNTERFEIT U.S. CURRENCY

1. ON APRIL 7, MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS, C. L. B. ROGERS, SHOWED ME A US TEN DOLLAR NOTE THAT THE POLICE HAD CONFISCATED AT A FAIR WHICH TOOK PLACE AT SAN JOSE SUCCOTZ APRIL 5 AND 6. THE POLICE HAD CONFISCATED A TOTAL OF SIX OF THESE BILLS DURING THE FAIR. SAN JOSE SUCCOTZ IS JUST A FEW MILES FROM THE GUATEMALAN BORDER ON THE WESTERN HIGHWAY.

2. THE NOTES, A VERY CRUDE JOB INDEED, ARE SERIES 1974 AND CARRY THE SERIAL NUMBER B 44690478 G. THEY ARE SO BADLY DONE THAT ANYBODY CAN TELL THEY ARE FALSE. THEY WERE SUCCESSFULLY PASSED BECAUSE THEY WERE USED IN A BAR AT THE FAIR WHERE THE LIGHT WAS POOR. THE POLICE ARE STILL INVESTIGATING. ROGERS PROMISED TO GIVE ME ANY NEW INFORMATION.

3. THE GOB ALSO PLANS THE FOLLOWING ACTION:

A. ALERT THE BANKS APRIL 8

B. BROADCAST NOTICES ABOUT THE COUNTERFEIT NOTES OVER RADIO BELIZE, THE ONLY RADIO STATION IN THE COUNTRY. DRISCOLL

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